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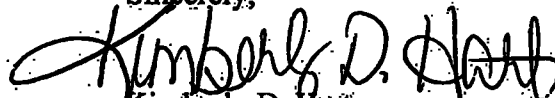
Dear Mr. Beck:

This is in reference to the complaint you filed with the Federal Election Commission on November 6, 2013, concerning Kenneth "Buddy" Barfield. Based on that complaint, on May 19, 2015, the Commission found that there was reason to believe that Mr. Barfield violated 52 U.S.C. §§ 30102(b), 30102(c), 30114, 30116, 30122, and 30125(c), provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, and instituted an investigation of this matter. However, after considering the circumstances of this matter, the Commission determined to take no further action as to Mr. Barfield, and closed the file in this matter on April 17, 2017.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. *See* Disclosure of Certain Documents in Enforcement and Other Matters, 81 Fed. Reg. 50,702 (Aug. 2, 2016), effective September 1, 2016.

The Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, allows a complainant to seek judicial review of the Commission's dismissal of this action. *See* 52 U.S.C. § 30109(a)(8). If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1618.

Sincerely,


Kimberly D. Hart
Attorney